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## REVIEWS AND NOTES

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The staff of the Research Department at the Severance Union Medical College in Seoul, Korea, of which Dr. Ralph G. Mills is director, has undertaken a review for English readers of current periodicals in Japanese medical literature. This is printed every two months in the *China Medical Journal*, and also circulated separately. The publication is likely to be of great importance to parasitologists because of the activity in Japan at present in the investigation of diseases caused by animal parasites which play a great rôle in that country.

The first (?) number, dated 1916 and recently received, contains a review with illustrations of long articles on the development of the supposed last stage in the life history of *Paragonimus* by Nakagawa, on the first intermediate host of that parasite by the same author, and on an investigation of the Lungfluke in Korea by Kakami, in addition to numerous other items mostly pathological. The reviews are very well written and present valuable material not otherwise accessible to the American investigator.

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It is with great sorrow that the *JOURNAL* announces the death of one of its collaborators, the distinguished German helminthologist, Max Lühe, Professor at the University of Königsberg, who died of wounds received in the war. The death of Lühe is a great loss to science and the world. His contributions to the literature of parasitology embrace important and extensive studies on Protozoa, Trematoda, Cestoda, Nematoda, and Acanthocephala. It is hoped to print at an early date a biographical sketch of Professor Lühe accompanied by a portrait.

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Harvard University has issued the first formal announcement of the School of Tropical Medicine. Courses are open to graduates of recognized medical schools so that the work becomes a part of the Graduate School of Medicine. Dr. Richard P. Strong is Director of the School of Tropical Medicine and in the work announced are courses in protozoology, helminthology, and tropical entomology.